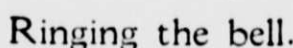


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**Mrs. Matilda Despard Dead.**  
Matilda Pratt Despard, widow of the late Clement J. Despard, died at her home at Mount Vernon Thursday at the age of 88 years.  
Mrs. Despard was the author of several books, including "Kilroan Cottage," 1875, and "Old New York—From the Battery to Bloomingdale," 1878. She is survived by two sons, C. L. and W. D. Despard, and one daughter, Mrs. Alice Heximer.



William Howard Taft, Bates House,  
244 Spring street, 7:45 P. M.  
New York Botanical Garden, lecture,  
"Growing Seeds for the Farm and Gar-  
den," Dr. A. B. Stout, 4 P. M.  
Fordham Law School, dinner, Hotel  
Astor, 7 P. M.  
Theatre Assembly, luncheon, Hotel  
Astor, 1 P. M.  
Washington Heights Chapter, D. A.  
R., luncheon, 1 P. M.  
Prince of Orange Lodge, dinner, Hot-  
el Astor, 7:30 P. M.

**WOMAN'S EXPOSITION READY.**  
**Industrial Fair Along Lines of**  
**Utility and Beauty.**  
The Woman's Industrial Exposition, with sixty-eight women's clubs as patronesses, will open at the Grand Central Palace this afternoon. In the many booths utility and beauty stand side by side. The utensils which make housework easier hold their place with

19.61 during the lifetime of their mother. Eventually the entire estate goes to the testator's grandchildren.

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**Mrs. Home's Will Stands.**

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court affirmed yesterday the decision of Surrogate Fowler admitting to probate the will of Mrs. Lizzie Hastings Home, which cut off her husband, Leicester Home ex-City Court Justice, and left her bulk of her estate of nearly \$1,000,000 to charities.

The Friday evening subscribers at the Metropolitan Opera House had their

**DARWIN HELD TO BE RIGHT.**

## Professor at Geographical Meeting Agrees as to Coral Reefs.

The last for this season of the dances for the benefit of the College Women's Club was held last night at the Gotham. Mrs. Constantin T. Dumba, wife of the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador, has returned from Washington and is at the St. Regis.


Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who has been spending the Easter holidays at the Oakland Farms near Newport, arrived in New York last night and is at the

The Right Rev. Mgr. Charles Mc-  
Garry, L. L. D., pastor of the Church of

Archbishop McCloskey in the old St. Patrick's Cathedral in Mott street on August 16, 1866. Some preparations had already been made by his parishioners to celebrate his golden jubilee next

Mgr. McCready had a nationwide rep-

**Solomon A. Norton.**  
Solomon A. Norton, 78, died of pneumonia on Thursday at his home, 2149 Seventh avenue. He was born at Fort Plain, N. Y. About twenty years ago he came to this city. He is survived by his son, Clarence J., examiner in the



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Prof. Bounsbury edited Chaucer's "Parliament of Fowles" and was the

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